

SMALL GRANT CRITERIA

- 1. Must be in congruence with the foundation's mission.**
- 2. Must relate to the foundation's stated goals or primary funds.**
- 3. May include fees to bring in outside experts or artists but not to pay salaries or stipends to school personnel.**
- 4. Must be innovative or creative (new ideas or new to the district) and/or beyond current practices.**
- 5. May include equipment or materials but only if they directly provide the means to achieve the educational objectives stated in the application.**
- 6. Must conform to the dollar-award guidelines (see application).**
- 7. Must be completed within the current school year (with exceptions).**
- 8. Funds must not be available from traditional sources (district budget, PTA, etc.).**